



Docket No. 1948-4631

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): NICOLAI et al.

Group Art Unit: 3729

Serial No.: 09/423,075

Examiner: S. Smith

Filed: November 1, 1999

For: SHIELDING AN ELECTRONIC CARD WITH PRINTED CIRCUIT MOUNTED  
ON A METAL SUBSTRATE

COPY OF PAPERS  
ORIGINALLY FILED

**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD  
OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision(s) dated May 8, 2002 of the Primary Examiner. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- ☐ Fee not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)  
☒ Appeal Fee Large Entity (\$320.00)  
☐ Small Entity Appeal Fee (\$160.00)  
☒ A check in the amount of \$320.00 to cover the appeal fee is enclosed.  
☐ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 1948-4631. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.  
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 1948-4631. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

09/17/2002 BABRAHA1 00000037 09423075

01 FC:119

320.00 DP

Dated: September 9, 2002

Respectfully submitted,  
MORGAN & FINNEGAN, L.L.P.

By:

Stephen J. Manetta  
Stephen J. Manetta  
Registration No. 40,426

**Correspondence Address:**

MORGAN & FINNEGAN, L.L.P.  
345 Park Avenue  
New York, NY 10154-0053  
(212) 758-4800 Telephone  
(212) 751-6849 Facsimile